# STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Senate Journal

# Ninety-Eighth Regular Session

## WEDNESDAY, October 31, 2007

The Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date.

### CHIEF CLERK'S ENTRIES

#### **AMENDMENTS OFFERED**

Senate amendment 1 to **Senate Bill 154** offered by Senator Roessler.

# Introduction, First Reading, and Reference of Proposals; Reference of Appointments

State of Wisconsin Office of the Governor

July 12, 2007

The Honorable, The Senate:

I am pleased to nominate and with the advice and consent of the Senate, do appoint BROWN, JEANNE, of Eau Claire, as a member of the Athletic Trainers Affiliated Credentialing Board, to serve for the term ending July 1, 2011.

Respectfully submitted, *JIM DOYLE* 

Governor

Read and referred to committee on **Health and Human Services.** 

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Environment and Natural Resources** reports and recommends:

FRANK, MATT, of Middleton, as Secretary of the Department of Natural Resources, to serve for the term ending at the pleasure of the Governor.

Confirmation.

Ayes, 5 - Senators Miller, Jauch, Wirch, Kedzie and Schultz.

Noes, 0 - None.

#### Senate Bill 81

Relating to: management of greenhouse gases, granting rule-making authority, and providing penalties.

Passage.

Ayes, 3 – Senators Miller, Jauch and Wirch.

Noes, 2 – Senators Kedzie and Schultz.

MARK MILLER Chairperson

The joint committee on **Finance** reports and recommends:

#### Assembly Bill 207

Relating to: regulation of cable television and video service providers.

Introduction and adoption of Senate Amendment 1.

Ayes, 16 – Senators Decker, Hansen, Taylor, Jauch, Miller, Lehman, Darling and Olsen. Representatives Rhoades, Meyer, Stone, Kestell, Suder, Vos, Pocan and Colon.

Noes, 0 - None.

Concurrence as amended.

Ayes, 13 – Senators Decker, Hansen, Taylor, Lehman, Darling and Olsen. Representatives Rhoades, Meyer, Stone, Kestell, Suder, Vos and Colon.

Noes, 3 – Senators Jauch and Miller. Representative Pocan.

RUSSELL DECKER Senate Chairperson

The committee on **Senate Organization** reports:

#### Senate Bill 167

Relating to: a state electrical wiring code; regulation of electricians, electrical contractors, and electrical inspectors; inspections of electrical wiring; regulation of electrical wiring; regulation of heating and air conditioning contractors by a county with a population of 500,000 or more; and granting rule—making authority.

Referred to joint committee on **Finance** by committee on Senate Organization, pursuant to Senate Rule 41 (1)(e).

Ayes, 5 – Senators Decker, Risser, Hansen, Fitzgerald, and Leibham.

Noes, 0 - None.

#### Senate Bill 81

Relating to: management of greenhouse gases, granting rule—making authority, and providing penalties.

Referred to joint committee on **Finance** by committee on Senate Organization, pursuant to Senate Rule 41 (1)(e).

Ayes, 5 – Senators Decker, Risser, Hansen, Fitzgerald, and Leibham.

Noes, 0 - None.

#### Senate Bill 228

Relating to: the regulation of construction contractors and subcontractors, granting rule—making authority, and providing a penalty.

Referred to joint committee on **Finance** by committee on Senate Organization, pursuant to Senate Rule 41 (1)(e).

Withdrawn from joint committee on **Finance** and made available for scheduling, pursuant to Senate Rule 41 (1)(e).

Ayes, 5 – Senators Decker, Risser, Hansen, Fitzgerald, and Leibham.

Noes, 0 - None.

RUSS DECKER Chairperson

## **PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS**

# State of Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction

October 12, 2007

The Honorable, The Senate:

The following individual should be removed from confirmation to serve on the Professional Standards Council for Teachers:

Connie Foster (for the term ending June 30, 2008)

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

ELIZABETH BURMASTER

State Superintendent

# MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY

By Patrick E. Fuller, chief clerk.

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the Assembly has passed and asks concurrence in:

**Assembly Bill 32** 

**Assembly Bill 50 Assembly Bill 80 Assembly Bill 134 Assembly Bill 163 Assembly Bill 169 Assembly Bill 181 Assembly Bill 229 Assembly Bill 234 Assembly Bill 242 Assembly Bill 246 Assembly Bill 258 Assembly Bill 279 Assembly Bill 282 Assembly Bill 296 Assembly Bill 321 Assembly Bill 326 Assembly Bill 351 Assembly Bill 359 Assembly Bill 370 Assembly Bill 372 Assembly Bill 373 Assembly Bill 413 Assembly Bill 426 Assembly Bill 454 Assembly Bill 472 Assembly Bill 526** 

#### Concurred in:

Senate Bill 161 Senate Bill 177 Senate Bill 186 Senate Bill 214